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SCALE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR THE APPORTIONMENT OF THE EXPENSES OF THE UNITED NATIONS

Letter dated 19 September 1995 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly

At present, 15 Member States are in arrears under the terms of Article 19 of the Charter, which states as follows:

> "A Member of the United Nations which is in arrears in the payment of its financial contributions to the Organization shall have no vote in the General Assembly if the amount of its arrears equals or exceeds the amount of the contributions due from it for the preceding two full years. The General Assembly may, nevertheless, permit such a Member to vote if it is satisfied that the failure to pay is due to conditions beyond the control of the Member."

The minimum payments necessary to reduce the amounts owed by those Member States on their contributions so that they remain below the gross amount owed for the preceding two full years (1993-1994) are the following: 1/

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1/ Although the amount of the arrears of South Africa exceeds the amount of contributions due from it for the preceding two full years, the General Assembly, in paragraph 8 of its resolution 48/258 A of 23 June 1994, decided "to consider, as an exceptional measure, that the arrears of South Africa that have accrued to date were due to conditions beyond its control and, accordingly, that the question of applicability of Article 19 of the Charter of the United Nations related to the loss of voting rights in the General Assembly in this respect will not arise".

	United States dollars
Burundi	47 300
Central African Republic	98 900
Chad	195 800
Comoros	115 400
Dominican Republic	568 000
Gambia	114 600
Guatemala	44 628
Iraq	615 900
Liberia	302 200
Mali	68 300
Niger	94 500
Sao Tome and Principe	115 300
Sierra Leone	114 423
Somalia	267 600
Yugoslavia	6 945 400

(Signed) Boutros BOUTROS-GHALI
Secretary-General